

Senate Resolution 525

By: Senator Hill of the 4th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Portal High School, winner of the 2004 Class A Governor's
2 Cup; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Governor's Cup recognizes high schools demonstrating academic excellence
4 through their performance on the SAT, and winners are selected based on the improvement
5 of the senior class's average SAT score between the current and previous years; and

6 WHEREAS, providing a world class education to each student and preparing them to meet
7 the demands of a modern marketplace is a top priority for Georgia, and, on average, students
8 scoring higher on the SAT are more successful at the college and university level; and

9 WHEREAS, the students of Portal High School have made a 97.5 point improvement on
10 their average SAT score from 2003; and

11 WHEREAS, in recognition of this exemplary performance, Portal High School has been
12 named the 2004 Class A Governor's Cup award winner, receiving a \$2,000 grant and tickets
13 to a home game of the Atlanta Braves; and

14 WHEREAS, their achievement stands as a shining example of the important impact that the
15 collaborative efforts of individual teachers and administrators along with bright and focused
16 students and their parents can make on the quality of education received by the children of
17 this state.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
19 join in recognizing and commending the students, teachers, and administrators of Portal High
20 School, winners of the 2004 Class A Governor's Cup, and extend to them sincere best wishes
21 for their continued success.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Portal High School.